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TELEGRAPHIC

Washington News from the Commission.

The Government's Policy in Negotiations.

No Fears Entertained for Hatch's Safety.

Reports from Maine are More Subdued.

A Peaceful Solution is Now Likely.

No Appeal from the Silver Cliff Decision.

Trade Report of Leadville for the Year.

COLORADO.

A Splendid Showing for Leadville.

LEADVILLE, December 31.—The Chronicle's annual trade report of Leadville for the past year shows the bullion and ore products to be \$1,302,880.64. The mercantile trade of the city has been \$2,000,000. The sales of mining property for sums over five hundred dollars amount to \$353,350.940.

GENERAL NEWS.

Indian Question.

SHERMAN FOR DEAN.

CHICAGO, December 31.—The Journal's Washington special says Sherman, who has been severely criticized for some time past for not buying up the Indians, is now being urged to force them to come to a speedy conclusion as to whether they intend to surrender the chiefs who participated in the White River massacre, says the policy pursued was in accordance with the wishes of General Sherman. He urged procrastination in negotiations so as to keep up as long as possible the necessity of making war on the Indians. General Sherman does not want the war to begin the campaign this winter. If it can be avoided, as it means terrible marches through mountains, desolations and perhaps cut off from supplies. He has urged every cause to grant all delays asked for by the Indians, hopes that the war can be avoided until spring when the troops can act without inflicting suffering upon them.

WASHINGTON, December 31.—Secretary Schurz has received two dispatches from General Hatch, written at Chino's ranch, the 29th and 30th inst. One informs the secretary for the first time that among the Indians offered for surrender on the 29th inst. but whose surrender was not received was Douglas, the hostiles chief, and several other principals in the Meeker massacre. The last sentence of the other dispatch seems to indicate that after General Hatch refused to receive the surrender of these Indians, they were permitted to go to the lower Grand river and hunt for game and they are not likely to be found again for a month. Secretary Schurz entertains considerable doubt as to this being the real meaning of the dispatch as sent, and has telegraphed for explicit information. It is inferred that General Hatch and his party do not consider themselves in danger, as these dispatches don't express any apprehension of that kind.

The Maine Conspiracy.

AUGUSTA, December 31.—It is known at a late hour to-night that Governor Garcelon and council have concluded the preparation of a series of questions to be submitted to the supreme court, having worked upon the matter all day. It is understood that the number of distinct propositions to be submitted to the court is about a dozen.

WASHINGTON, December 31.—The violent talk generally prevalent a few days ago in regard to the situation in Maine has greatly subsided and it is now almost universally believed that some solution of the difficulties will be reached without a resort to forcible measures on either side. It is known that several democratic senators have telegraphed from this city to Governor Garcelon earnestly advising him to agree to ex-Senator Morrill's proposal for an arbitration of the matter by the state supreme court, and it is understood that a number of the republican senators, including Edmunds, Anthony and Burnside, have advised Maine republicans not to take any step which might look like appealing to force, but in default of Garcelon agreeing to refer the case to the supreme court to submit to their wrongs under protest and appeal to the legislature to carry out the spirit of the law.

One of the most prominent republican senators in Washington expresses the opinion which on the sixth of January, that easiness will demand that immediate action be taken to correct their alleged wrongs, been taken in had for governor and that will, at least to some extent, not be completed. It is still expected, that if most republicans in this city that from non-compliance with such a demand of their own and proceed to elect a governor, it is also now remarked in some circles, it would be very easy to have the whole moral power of the national legislature in the scale in favor of Davis, a simple congratulatory telegram to be sent to Governor D. Hayes in acknowledgment of a telegraphic account from Davis that the legislature on such a day duly elected him governor. This course, it is argued, would avoid all question of right of formal recognition of one of the two rival governments by the president, but would exert practically the same effect as a favorable official response to a call for national assistance to suppress a democratic insurrection.

CHICAGO, December 31.—A Boston special says there is still little doubt that during the latest protestations of peace, preparations have been quietly making for a defence of the state house by the seizure of arms and ammunition from the arsenal at Bangor. A special from Augusta says there is good authority for the statement that there are now in the state house 20,000 rounds of ammunition, to be used if wanted. Ten thousand rounds, it is said, were secretly placed there about two weeks ago. These proceedings are evidently calculated to excite the passions of the republicans, but the counsels of the wise and cool headed will prevail. Although companies of men have been recently enlisted by the fusionists, there has not been the first warlike movement on the part of the republicans. Their dependence is on the justice of their cause and a legal vindication of their course.

Decided Against Colorado.

WASHINGTON, December 31.—The attorney general of Colorado writes to the acting commissioner of land office that after consultation with Gov. Pitkin he has concluded to take no appeal from the recent decision in the Silver Cliff case, both believing it to be sound in law. The department will therefore immediately make the commissioner's action final. This was the claim of the state for a school section on which the town of Silver Cliff is located. It was urged upon the grounds that the mineral character of the land had not been discovered at the time of the survey.

New York Mining Exchange.

NEW YORK, December 31.—A circular just issued by the new mining board here, states it is a part of a movement to enable the dealers in mining stocks to borrow money on the same will-like facility as upon railway and other securities. A mining exchange is being organized, under authority. A special charter has been granted by the state of New York. It is designed that this shall not conflict with, but shall act in entire harmony with all other stock exchanges for the promotion of sound mining interests and the board is to be governed by rules similar to the San Francisco and other stock exchanges. Seats are offered for about 2000 shares. The annual dues are eighty dollars. The committee on organization is Henry C. Logan, J. P. Jones, William J. Shaffer, Henry Hayemeyer, A. McDonald, Rufus F. Leavitt, Stephen B. Elkins, A. P. Safford, George D. Roberts, Gen. Chapman, Drake DeKay and others.

Meeko Exodus.

TOPKA, December 31.—The staff correspondent of the Chicago Inter Ocean, who has been making an investigation of the exodus in Kansas during four weeks of travel through the states, writes a letter from here, giving his conclusions. He estimates the number of refugees in the state at 15,000. Of these he thinks probably one-fifth are able to buy a little land, and are making good progress in farming. Most of that number have found through the freedmen's relief association places as laborers, and are giving good satisfaction, and in no county did he find them applicants for burdens on corporate charities. But the demand for these charities has been stretched to the fullest capacity. The accumulation of refugees at the barracks is now nearly 700, for whom no places can be found. Judging from what he has learned from the refugees themselves, the number arriving is now from twenty-five to fifty per day.

National Bank Circulation.

WASHINGTON, December 31.—The total amount additional to the national bank circulation, issued during the year ending December 31, 1879, was \$26,597,870. The amount retired was \$7,614,767. The net increase of the bank circulation during the year was \$18,983,103. The total amount of national bank circulation outstanding December 31, was \$340,388,012, not including the circulation of the national gold bank, which was \$1,426,120.

Big Operations in wheat.

CHICAGO, December 31.—Four million dollars in gold was sent here from New York today by James Keene, and smaller sums by other owners of wheat, in this market, to conduct their January deal. It is not known what the intentions of Keene really are, but it is supposed he intends to carry the wheat along for another month.

Not as Bad as it Might Be.

ST. PAUL, December 31.—The through express on the Iowa & Minneapolis division of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railway this afternoon was two hours late, reaching Mendota Junction, near this city. While running at a rather high rate of speed on a high embankment along the Mississippi, a rail broke, and three coaches, including the sleeping car, left the track. The sleeper broke its coupling and rolled down the embankment into the river, a distance of sixty feet. The fall was somewhat broken by the Sioux City track half way down the descent. The car was smashed to pieces, and six passengers were taken up insensible. At first it was thought that one or more were killed, but all are alive at the present writing, though some are seriously injured. "No one forward of the sleeping car was hurt."

Arrested for Libel.

CINCINNATI, December 31.—Richard Smith of the Gazette was arrested at one o'clock today on warrants sworn out by Chief Police Wapenstein charging him with criminal libel. The matter which gave rise to the warrant was an interview published on Tuesday, the Gazette charging Wapenstein with complicity with gamblers. Mr. Smith was released on his own recognizance.

WASHINGTON NOTES.

President and Mrs. Hayes and the vice-president will hold reception at the executive mansion New Year's day according to the usual programme.

General Garfield has gone to Ohio but will return to Washington before the Ohio senatorial election. He feels so confident of his election that he will not put in an appearance at Columbus at all. Nearly all the Ohio politicians in Washington alike concede that Garfield will be elected.

GRAND CANON CASE.

D. & R. G. to be First into Leadville.

The U. S. Supreme Court Decision is Declared Good Law.

Judge Hallett Will Allow it to Be Rerouted.

The Lease Did Not Bargain Away the D. & R. G. Canon Rights.

The Atchison Co. Allowed a Grade Where there is No Choice.

Of Right of Way 100 Miles from its Connections.

Therefore Mr. Gast Still Claims a Victory.

He Will Have the Bonfires and the D. & R. G. the Canon.

DENVER, December 31.—In the United States circuit court today the following decision was rendered in the Grand Canon case: THE DECISION.

First. Under the decision of the supreme court, the Denver & Rio Grande company has the prior right of way in and through the Grand Canon of the Arkansas river. Such right arises out of the prior occupation and appropriation of the way through that Canon by that company in April, 1878.

Second. In virtue of such prior occupation and appropriation and the right thus acquired with the avowed purpose of building a road further westward through the Valley of the Arkansas River that company has also the prior right to select and locate the line in and through that valley for some distance in advance of its actual occupation to be determined by the circumstances of the case. Such right can be displaced or defeated by another company locating on the same ground before the D. & R. G. company proceeding with reasonable diligence should locate its line, although such other company may have acted in good faith.

Third. Accordingly the survey and location of a line above and beyond the Grand Canon by the Canon City and San Juan Railway Company, for the Pueblo and Arkansas Valley Railway Company, in advance of any location of a line by the D. & R. G. Ry. Co. within such reasonable distance from and above the Canon as may appear to be just and equitable under the circumstances of the case, and having reference to the topography of the country, shall not be the right of the latter company to occupy the same ground.

Fourth. When this controversy arose in April, 1878, the avowed purpose of the D. & R. G. Co. was to construct its main line from Canon City to the South Arkansas, a distance of about 50 miles. Nothing was then said about the road from the South Arkansas to Leadville which is not of the main line, but in the certificate of incorporation of the D. & R. G. Co. is called the Western Arkansas railway. So also in the certificate of incorporation of the Canon City & San Juan company, this road is described as extending from Canon City to South Arkansas, so that the controversy in its beginning related only to the line between those points.

Fifth. It appears from the report of the commission appointed by this court to examine the line from Canon City to the South Arkansas, if two roads shall be constructed in the valley of the Arkansas river, they must in general run on the opposite sides of the river. An exception arises in the Grand Canon and also perhaps at one other point, but the proposition as stated is in general correct. Both companies having located on the north side of the river and substantially on the same ground it is natural to be inferred that the north side is preferable to the south side. There is also in the record testimony to support that view.

Sixth. From the report of the commissioners and the testimony in the record, it also appears that from the mouth of the Grand Canon westward to the South Arkansas, the valley of the Arkansas river may be regarded as a canon, pass or defile, within the meaning of the act of 1875, by which, according to the decision of the supreme court the rights of both companies are now to be determined. In some places that valley may be a canon or defile, and in others a pass, but in all places between the points named it should be regarded as within the terms of the act of Congress.

Seventh. The Canon City and San Juan Company, or the old Pueblo and Arkansas Valley Company, or the successor of these companies, by the consolidation of the present Pueblo and Arkansas Valley Company, having built wholly or in part a railway from Canon City to the South Arkansas on the north side of the river, on the line located by the D. & R. G. Co., the latter company is entitled to that railway, subject to the equities to be hereafter stated, unless by negotiations between the parties since the controversy arose the relations of the parties have been changed. For the reason given in the fourth clause of the foregoing proposition the Denver & Rio Grande Company has no prior right of location between the South Arkansas and Leadville, the

Pueblo company having first located its line on that part of the route.

Eighth. If the lease made by the D. & R. G. Co. to the Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe Co., and the concurring agreements between persons connected with the companies or with the Pueblo and Arkansas Valley Co., there is no express stipulation or agreement as to the road from Canon City to Leadville now in consideration, and any inferences that may be drawn from certain clauses and provisions of those documents when taken and considered by themselves should be controlled by the following circumstances: Shortly after the lease and accompanying agreements drawn up before ratification thereof by either of the corporation parties thereto, differences arose between the officers of those corporations respectively as to the meaning and effect of these documents in respect to the road from Canon City to Leadville. With those differences pending, each corporation proceeded to ratify the lease, and the Rio Grande Company, by an express resolution, declared its purpose to reserve the right of way here in controversy. In the face of that resolution, it is impossible to say that the several clauses and specifications in the lease and accompanying agreement on which the Pueblo company now relies shall have the meaning imputed to them.

Ninth. That portion of the line extending from Canon City to the mouth of the Grand Canon is not regarded as in the controversy in these suits.

Tenth. Mr. Andrews N. Rogers will be appointed a commissioner to ascertain and fix the points at the mouth of the Grand Canon and at or near the mouth of the South Arkansas where the road already built or partly built may be connected with another line.

Eleventh. The said commissioner will compute the cost of the road already built or partly built between the points last mentioned. Of the items designated as legal and miscellaneous mentioned in the report of the commissioner, such part only shall be taken as forms a part of the cost of the right of way. If the testimony in the record shall not be sufficient to advise the commissioner as to the cost of said road, further testimony shall be taken in that behalf.

Twelfth. As soon as practicable the said commissioner shall report to the court the whole amount of the cost of the said road between the points above named as ascertained by the commissioner.

Thirteenth. Within ten days after the filing of the report of the said commissioner showing the cost of said road between said points, the Denver & Rio Grande Company shall declare whether they will take the same and pay the cost thereof. If said company elects to take the road between said points, it will upon payment thereof be delivered to them. Notwithstanding such election, the Denver company may be heard upon exceptions to the report of said commissioner before the final payment.

Fourteenth. In the event that the Denver company shall elect to take and pay for said line, such payment shall be made within sixty days from the date of the approval of the said commissioner's report by a deposit to the credit of the Pueblo & Arkansas Valley Railway Company of the sum required in some bank in the city of New York to be named in the decree.

Fifteenth. If either company shall elect to build another line distinct from that already built or partly built over the whole or any part of the route from Canon City to Leadville, such election shall be declared within thirty days.

Sixteenth. In case either of the companies shall elect to build another line, such line and the road already built or partly built will be put in charge of Mr. Andrews N. Rogers, with authority to superintend and direct the construction thereof in such a manner as to protect as far as possible the rights of the parties, and prevent a conflict.

Seventeenth. If another line shall be built in or through the Grand Canon, it shall be according to the second plan proposed by the commissioner, a second track parallel with and adjacent to the present road.

Eighteenth. In the event that another line shall be constructed through the Grand Canon, the court will hereafter determine whether a change of ownership in respect to the lines in that locality is not required for the convenient operation of each, and in that event the difference in the cost will be adjusted as may be necessary to secure the rights of each.

Nineteenth. In the first and second of these cases, the costs which have accrued since the interlocutory decrees were entered therein, and in the third case, all the costs will be equally divided between the Denver & Rio Grande company and the Pueblo & Arkansas Valley company.

In the afternoon Judge Usher, one of the Rio Grande counsel, applied for immediate possession, offering to pay or deposit the money covering the cost at once. The whole matter was finally deferred until Friday. Mr. Gast, as usual, sent off his dispatch claiming an Atchison victory.

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A happy New Year.

Secretary Schurz does not seem to have been dug.

That boy who writes the Tribune dispatches from Los Angeles appears to be overdoing the matter. He ought to have some soothing-soup to allay his fears.

THE GRAND CANON DECISION.

The Grand Canon decision rendered yesterday gives a decision favorable to the Rio Grande company, though

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enough for several roads. The choice of

positions is no advantage whatever. The

Denver & Rio Grande Co. will be a few

weeks longer getting into Leadville as it

will not be able to take advantage of the

work done by the Atchison Co. For all

practical purposes, the Atchison company

might have been given the right to build

fifty miles of road in Alaska as the right

now given it.

As the rights given the Denver & Rio

Grande company by the supreme court

last April are now allowed by Judge Hal-

lett, it is to be hoped, there will be no

further delay. Leadville needs the road

and the Denver & Rio Grande company

wants to build it immediately. Any further

delays are needless.

NECROLOGY FOR 1879.

Jan. 7. Judge Charles Sherman at Cleve-

land, brother of Senator and General

Sherman.

6. Morton McMichael of Philadel-

phia the eminent journalist, in

the seventy-second year of his

age.

5. Hon. Julian Hartridge at Wash-

ington, a representative in con-

gress from Georgia, aged forty-

six years.

10. Hon. Gustave Schleicher at

Washington, a representative in

congress from Texas, aged fifty-

four years.

70. Joaquin Baldomero Espartero,

the eminent Spanish statesman,

aged eighty-six years.

20. John Blair Scribner of New York

senior partner of the publishing

firm Charles Scribner's Sons, aged

twenty-eight years.

21. George Stillman Hilliard at Long-

wood, Massachusetts, the literator

and historian, aged seventy years.

27. Dr. Henry Linderman, director

of the United States mint.

Feb. 2. Richard Henry Dana, the eldest

of the American poets, aged

twenty-two years.

1. Fere Ali, the Amir of Afghan-

stan.

23. Hon. A. B. Hasbrouck, ex-pres-

ident of Rutgers College at

Kingston, N. Y.

Mar. 7. Eljhu Burritt, the learned black-

smith.

9. Rev. John Weiss, the Transcend-

entalist, at Boston.

16. General Thomas W. Sherman at

Newport, R. I.

19. Rev. James McKenney, D. D., a

prominent Episcopal clergyman

at Racine, Wisconsin.

21. Adolph Andersson of Breslau Sil-

esia, the celebrated chess player.

29. George B. Woods of Philadelphia,

the eminent professor and medi-

cal author, aged 82 years.

30. Thomas Couture of France, the

distinguished painter.

April 4. Madame Jerome Bonaparte, nee

Elizabeth Patterson, at Baltimore,

aged 84.

7. Dr. Heinrich Wilhelm Dove, the

distinguished Prussian Archæolo-

gist.

12. General Richard Taylor, son of

President Taylor, an ex-confeder-

ate general at New York City,

aged fifty-three years.

13. Jean De Villeneuve, the French

journalist.

26. General John A. Dix in his eighty-

first year.

25. Bishop E. R. Ames of the M. E. C.

Church, aged seventy-three years.

27. Ex-Judge George G. Bernard,

of the Tammany ring. General

Alfred Sully, U. S. A., at Van-

couver Barracks, Washington

territory, aged 58 years.

30. General Felix Charles Douay,

inspector general of French ar-

my, aged 61 years.

30. Mrs. Sarah J. Hale, for fifty years

editor of Godey's Lady Book.

May 5. Isaac Butt, of Dublin, the great

house rule leader.

10. Rear Admiral Enoch G. Parrott,

U. S. N., aged 70 years.

17. Asa Packer, ex-governor of

Pennsylvania, aged 74 years.

24. William Lloyd Garrison, the ab-

olitionist, aged 75 years.

26. James Grant, the English jour-

nalist.

June 1. General James Shields, once U.

S. senator from Illinois, Minneso-

ta and Missouri.

1. Prince Louis Napoleon Bonaparte

was killed.

3. Baron Lionel De Rothschild,

head of the English branch of

the great banking firm.

25. Albert Weber, of New York, the

piano manufacturer.

28. Keith Johnstone, in Africa, com-

mander of expedition to explore

Lake Nyassa.

30. Sir William Fetherill Cooke, of

London, who constructed the

first telegraphic line in England.

July 10. Captain J. C. Luce, of New York

commander of the steamer Ar-

ctic, lost twenty-five years ago.

11. Wm. Allen, of Ohio, and ex-U.

S. senator, aged seventy-two

years.

Aug. 5. Chas. Fechter, the actor.

The infant Marie Del Pilar, sis-

ter of King Alfonso.

27. Sir Rowland Hill, at Hampstead,

England, the promoter of the

cheap postage reform, aged 84

years.

31. General John B. Hood, who dis-

tinguished himself in the confeder-

ate army, aged forty-eight

years.

Sept. 7. William M. Hunt, the artist,

at the Isle of Shoals, aged fifty-five

years.

18. Daniel Drew, the stock gambler,

aged eighty-two years.

18. At Paris Viollet le Duc, the great

French architect.

20. Rev. Joseph P. Thompson, at

Berlin, formerly pastor of the tab-

ernacle church, New York.

Oct. 6. W. H. Powell, of New York City,

the artist.

13. Henry C. Casey, the great protec-

tion advocate.

20. Ernst Von Bulow, German min-

ister of foreign affairs.

29. John Blackwood, senior partner

in Blackwood & Sons, Scotland.

31. John Baldwin Buckstone, the En-

glish comedian, aged seventy-

seven years.

General Joseph Hooker, aged six-

ty-six years.

Rev. Joseph Abbott, the histori-

an, aged seventy-three years.

Nov. 1. Zachariah Chandler, U. S. sen-

ator from Michigan.

9. Mrs. Margaret L. Eaton, widow

of General J. H. Eaton, secretary

of war under Jackson.

11. Rear Admiral A. H. Kelly, at

Baltimore, aged seventy-three.

24. John Thaddeus Delane, editor of

London Times for thirty-six years.

24. Jules Noel, the French painter.

25. Edward William Cox, proprietor

of the London Field.

Dec. 1. General Jefferson C. Davis, U.

S. A.

3. Professor John Johnson, of Mid-

dleton college.

7. Erasmus B. Bigelow, of the Big-

elow carpet company, Boston.

7. Duke of Portland, aged seventy-

nine years. Always suffered

from ill health.

7. Sir William Dumas, the eminent

English painter.

7. General Charles Merchant,

11. Pat Cooke, elder brother of Jay

Cooke.

Dec. 15. Commander Chester Hatfield,

U. S. N.

William McFee, editor of the

Globe-Democrat.

DISASTERS.

Jan. 13. Explosion in Dina's colliery, six-

ty tons lost.

Feb. 16. The British ship Adriatic stranded

near Dunkirk. Three hundred

lives were lost.

Explosion of a boiler at Stockton,

California, by which sixteen per-

sons were killed and twenty-five

wounded.

Mar. 2. Business portion of Reno, Nev-

ada, destroyed by fire. Loss \$1,

000,000.

The River Theiss in Hungary

broke through the dikes and

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